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The Committee on Admissions  
Cosmos Club  
1520 H Street N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

At the request of Dr. Ernest N. Cory, I am writing the Committee to recommend very strongly the admission of Dr. Horace Sydney Craig, Jr., for membership in the Cosmos Club.

I have known Dr. Craig for about five years and during this time he has performed outstanding public service both during his career in the Army and as a civilian consultant to the Joint Chiefs of Staff. As a consultant to the Joint Chiefs of Staff he is responsible for the preparation and explanation of the effects of policies of the highest import to the United States that must be considered on the level of the Joint Chiefs, inasmuch as those policies relate very closely to the national security of this country.

Dr. Craig's work has been characterized by thoroughness, competency, and great intelligence.

It is a great pleasure for me to recommend him for admission to the Cosmos Club.

Very truly yours,

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R. H. Hillenkoetter  
Rear Admiral, USN  
Director of Central Intelligence

cc: Dr. Ernest N. Cory